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## At Lancaster Yards

**Friday, August 30**  
**CATTLE** 2725 Compared with 3429 head last week. Supply includes 45 percent slaughter steers and 45 percent feeder steers Trading slow compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers weighing over 1200 lbs 50 lower, lighter weights steady Cows 25 lower Bulls and Feeder steers steady  
 Slaughter steers: Several lots High Choice and Prime 950-1155 lbs 26 00, Choice 1000-1250 lbs. 24 50-25 50, 2 loads High Choice and Prime 1350-1358 lbs 25 75, Good to low Choice 23 50-24 50  
 Heifers Few Good and Choice 750-850 lbs 22 00-24 00  
 Cows Cutter and Utility 14 75-16 75, Canner and low Cutter 13 50-14 75, Shelly canner down to 12 00  
 Bulls Utility and Commercial 19 50-21 50, few light weights down to 18 50, Good grade 22 00-24 00  
 Feeder Steers good and Choice 700-850 lbs 22 50-24 50, Choice 850-1050 lbs 23 50-25 00, including Load Choice 12 10 lbs 23 50, Medium and Good 650-750 lbs 20 00-22 75, Few lots Choice 500-600 lbs 25 00-26 00  
**CALVES** 675 Compared with 631 head last week Trading Active Vealers steady Choice and Prime vealers 31 00-34 00, few 35 00, Good 26 00-31 00 Standard 22 00-26 00, Utility 19 00-22 00  
**HOGS** 1125 Compared with 1102 head last week. Trading moderately active Barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower Sows steady  
 Barrows and gilts US 1-2 grade 190-230 lbs 18 75-19 25, No 1 grade 190-225 lbs 19 25-19 50, few small lots 20 00, U S 1-3 grade 190-240 lbs 18 25-18 75, 2-3 grade 230-260 lbs including U S 1-3 grade 180-190 lbs 17 75-18 25  
 Sows U S 1-3 grade 300-450 lbs 13 50-15 00, 2-3 grade 450-600 lbs 12 00-13 50  
**SHEEP** 325 Compared with 403 head last week Trading moderately active Spring slaughter lambs steady Choice and

Prime 70-100 lb. lambs 20 50-22 50, few 23 00, Good grade 20 00-21 50

## Chicago Cattle

**Weekly Review**  
**CATTLE** — Salable receipts first four days 27,700, compared 29,100 a week ago and 28,400 a year ago.  
 Steers closed strong to 25 higher, all weights sharing in the upturn but demand generally best for cattle under 1250 lbs, these active throughout the week Heifers recovered early price loss to close steady Cows were fully 50-75 lower in response to lower prices for cow beef. Bulls 50-1 00 lower Few feeders fully steady  
 Slaughter steers. Two loads Prime 1200-1250 lbs 25 60, bulk High Choice and Prime 1000-1300 lbs mostly 1100-1300 lbs 24 75-25 50, including near two dozen loads mostly Prime at 25 50 Bulk High Choice and Prime 1300-1425 lbs 24 00-24 75 Bulk Choice 900-1300 lbs 24 25-25 00 Good 900-1250 lbs 22 25-24 00 Standard and low Good 20 00-22 25  
 Slaughter heifers on Wednesday, load High Choice and Prime 950 lbs 24 75. Bulk Choice 800-1100 lbs 23 25-24 25 Good 22 00-23 00  
**COWS** Utility and Commercial closed at 14 50-16 00, few 16 50 Canner and Cutter 12 50-14 50 Shelly Canner 11 00-12 00  
 Bulls Utility and Commercial closed at 17 50-19 50  
 Feeders Few loads and lots Choice 900-975 lb steers 24 25-24 85, few loads Good 800-950 lbs 22 00-22 25

## Vintage Sale

**Tuesday, August 27**  
**CATTLE** 633 Supply includes 25 percent cows. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 50 lower. Cows grading Utility 50-1 00 lower, Canner and Cutter steady to 1 00 lower. Bulls steady.  
 Few High Choice and Prime 900-1100 lb. Slaughter steers 26 35-26 85, Choice 950-1300 lb. 24 50-26 25, Good to low Choice 23 00-24 50.  
 Utility and Standard heifers 17 00-20 00.  
 Cows: Cutter and Utility 14 75-16 50, Canner and low Cutter 13 25-14 75, Shelly canner down to 11 00  
 Bulls Few Utility and Commercial 19 50-22 00  
**CALVES**: 569. Vealers 1 00-2 00 lower.  
 Choice grade vealers 30 00-34 00, Good 26 00-30 00, Standard 22 00-26 00, Utility 18 00-22 00.  
**HOGS** 228 Barrows and gilts 50-1 00 lower  
 U S 1-3 grade 185-239 lb Barrows and gilts 18 00-18 35, Lot No 1 179 lbs 17 35 Two lots Good and Choice 35 lb. Feeder Pigs 5 75-7 50 per head  
 Sows U S 1-3 grade 332-490 lb 13 50-15 86  
**SHEEP** 21 Few Choice 80-105 lb spring slaughter lambs 20 50-22 00

## New Holland Auction

**Thursday, August 29**  
**CATTLE**: 952. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers steady to 25 lower. Cows and bulls steady.  
 Slaughter steers: few High Choice and Prime 900-1100 lbs. 26 25-26 60, Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24 50-26 25, Good to low Choice 23 00-24 50, Standard 21 00-23 00  
 Choice 800-900 lb. Heifers 23 25-24 35  
 Cows: Cutter and Utility 14 50-16 50, Canner and low Cutter 12 75-14 75, Shelly canner down to 11 00.  
 Bulls Utility and Commercial 19 50-22 00, few up to 22 85.  
 Feeder Steers: Good and Choice 820-945 lbs. 22 50-24 50, Lot Choice 1020 lbs. 22 60, Medium and Good 600-700 lbs. 21 00-23 50.  
**CALVES**: 379. Vealers about steady.  
 Choice and Prime 30 00-35 00, few to 37 00, Good 26 00-30 00, Standard 22 00-26 00, Utility 18 00-22 00, Cull down to 14 00  
**SHEEP**: 11. Few Choice 70-80 lb Spring slaughter lambs 22 00-23 00  
 Dairy cows sold barely steady at the August 28 auction. A total of 203 cows, five stock bulls and 13 stock heifers crossed the block.  
 Fresh Holstein cows brought \$275-440; Guernseys \$150-225, and other breeds \$150-225. Bulls were \$140-210, and heifers brought \$65-135.  
 The 214 head sold steady but slow at the August 26 horse sale  
 Riding horses brought \$100-200; driving horses were \$100 to \$215. Pony mares brought \$40-115 and geldings \$30-115. Killer horses were 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 cents a pound.  
 The 591 market hogs were 25 lower at the August 26 sale. Retail hogs to local butchers brought 19 25 to 20. Grades 1 to 3 to the packers were 18 25 to 18 60, and heavyweights were 17 75-18 25. Sows brought 14 to 16.  
 Calves sold steady to strong as 115 head changed hands at the August 26 sale Choice and prime vealers were 29-35, good and low choice 26-29, standard 23-26, and common 16 to 23.

When you're packing the car for the family vacation trip, include a plastic bottle of water, a "litter bag" and a roll of paper towels. You'll find these supplies handy for cleaning the windshield between service station stops, cleaning sticky hands, and wiping up spills from on-the-road snacks

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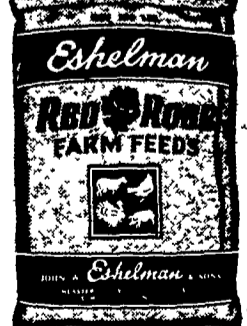
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